Entered on Docket August 25, 2021 **EDWARD J. EMMONS, CLERK** U.S. BANKRUPTCY COURT

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

Signed and Filed: August 25, 2021 1 SHEPPARD, MULLIN, RICHTER & HAMPTON LLP 2 A Limited Liability Partnership **Including Professional Corporation** Hannel 3 ORI KATŽ, Cal. Bar No. 209561 J. BARRETT MARUM, 4 Cal. Bar No. 228628 Four Embarcadero Center, 17th Floor HANNAH L. BLUMENSTIEL San Francisco, California 94111-4109. S. Bankruptcy Judge 5 415.434.9100 Telephone: Facsimile: 415.434.3947 7 Email: okatz@sheppardmullin.com bmarum@sheppardmullin.com 8 Counsel for Debtors 9 UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT 10 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA, SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION 11 Case No. 20-30604 In re: 12 PROFESSIONAL FINANCIAL (Jointly Administered) 13 INVESTORS, INC., et al.. Chapter 11 14 Debtors. ORDER APPROVING SECOND 15 INTERIM APPLICATION OF FTI CONSULTING, INC. AS FINANCIAL 16 ADVISOR AND CHIEF RESTRUCTURING OFFICER TO 17 DEBTORS, FOR ALLOWANCE OF **COMPENSATION FOR** 18 PROFESSIONAL SERVICES RENDERED AND FOR 19 REIMBURSEMENT OF ACTUAL AND NECESSARY EXPENSES INCURRED 20 21 This Court, having considered the Second Interim Application of FTI Consulting, 22 Inc. as Financial Advisor and Chief Restructuring Officer to Debtors, for Allowance of 23 Compensation for Professional Services Rendered and for Reimbursement of Actual and 24 Necessary Expenses Incurred filed on June 24, 2021, as Dkt. 697 (the "Application"), the 25 pleadings filed in support thereof, the *United States Trustee's Omnibus Reservation of* 26 27 Rights with Respect to Second Interim Fee Applications filed on August 5, 2021 as Dkt.

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No. 806 and the \$66,120.00 voluntary fee reduction agreed to by the Applicant as set forth

therein (the "<u>Reduction</u>"), and for the reasons stated in the docket text order regarding the Application entered by the Court on August 18, 2021,

HEREBY ORDERS AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. The Application is APPROVED. Capitalized terms used in this order that are undefined shall have the meaning given to them in the Application.
- 2. The aggregate compensation sought by FTI in the Application as modified by the Reduction, totaling \$6,589,990.20 and consisting of professional fees of \$6,545,900.00 and expenses of \$44,090.20, is hereby approved and allowed on an interim basis.
- 3. The Debtors are authorized to pay FTI a total of \$5,280,810.20, which amount represents which amount represents 80% of the fees and 100% of the expenses approved and allowed on an interim basis pursuant to this Order.

END OF ORDER

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